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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am an exceptionally happy internet consumer-exclusively because of our local, small business ISP. After years of frustratingly expensive, mediocre quality, and manipulatively priced internet through AT&T and Comcast, I discovered that we had a local ISP. Since switching to a locally run small business to provide my internet, I have had amazing internet and customer service, and my bills are transparent and stable. PLEASE DO NOT ACCEPT AT&T's PETITION REMOVE LOCAL ISP ACCESS TO THEIR COPPER LINES. They claim there is effectively no competition and yet my ISP, Sonic, is offering a clearly competitive and viable option in our market. I want to share my voice as a consumer as loudly as possible-I actually love my ISP. How many people can say that? Thank you for your time and consideration.

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